

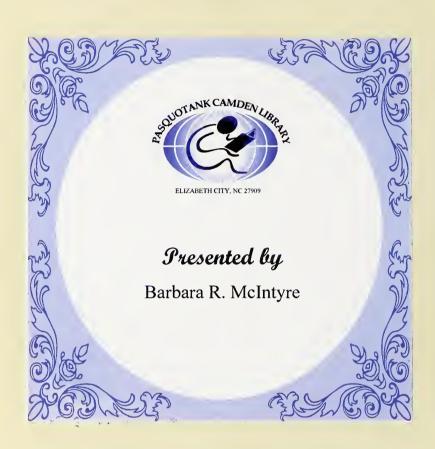
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Nada Pugh	1944	Claire Love
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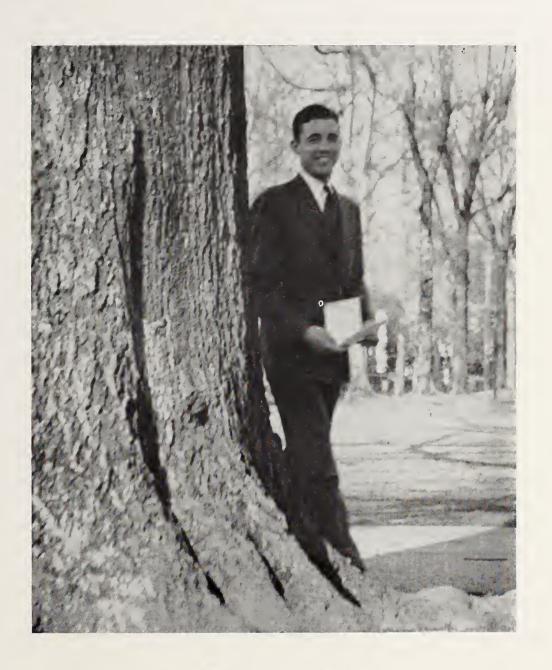






# FOREWORD

That this 1945 yearbook may bring vividly to mind thoughts of individuals whom you want to remember and high school activities in which you have participated is our sincere wish. Since this anniversary annual looks back twenty-five years, we have endeavored to record the history of not only the Spotlight but also all other activities of Elizabeth City High School. It is especially a memory book of a high school year, now an actual fact as we go from class to class; soon it will be a vague dream. May this book be tangible enough to connect your fancies with this year's facts.



# Dedication

To —

MR. J. G. McCRACKEN

With the hope that we may in this way show our appreciation for his loyalty and kindness as friend and adviser to all who have worked with him, this 1945 edition of the Spotlight is affectionately dedicated.



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Club Adviser, Community

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Adviser, Tri-Hi-Y

Club



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College, Geometry, General
Science, Mathematics
Adviser, Hobby Club

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A.B., Wake Forest College
Physical Education
Mathematics
Adviser, Tennis Club and
Girls' Basketball

# In Memoriam

EPHRIAM COLON COOPER Private, First Class, Infantry Killed in Italy, October 15, 1944

HAYWOOD SAWYER HARRELL Lieutenant, Infantry Killed in France, July 12, 1944

WILLIAM JAMES HENDERSON Corporal, Armored Force Killed in France, October 28, 1944

JOSEPH THOMAS MARKMAM Lieutenant, Army Air Forces Killed in Corsica, July 29, 1944

GEORGE OWENS Lieutenant, Army Air Corps Killed over Belgium, April 13, 1943

JOHN DAWSON PARKER Corporal, Army Air Forces Killed at Dyersburg, Tennessee, May 29, 1944

LEON BRITTON SCOTT
Private, First Class, Infantry
Died November 10, 1944, from wounds received in France

CHARLES KING SEYFFERT Ensign, Merchant Marine Killed in Naples, September 9, 1944

# Seniors To graduates this war-torn earth Presents a solemn face. We humbly pray for healthy mirth, For humor's saving grace. Lord, not as those who, years ago, Trusted a hard-won peace! For all time may the children know The crime of war to cease.

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# Onward and Upward

We, the class of forty-five, Pledge ourselves to higher thinking, To keep the precious spark alive, Our progeny and prestige linking.

Soon we shall return to the pages
Of the lives we've touched while here,
E'er in mem'ry through the ages
Growing dearer year by year.

Though our paths must separate us, Still united we must stand To crush the foe that may await us, Establish lights throughout the land.

With this goal and destination Onward, Upward, we shall rise Spreading lore throughout creation With a will that never dies.

Onward, upward, higher ever We shall reach a new domain, Doing our part, faltering never, So that light and peace shall reign.

-Billie Meggs



# Senior Class Officers

LUTHER WHITE	President
Bobby Swain	-President
Kathryn Alexander	Secretary
RAY HAYMAN	Treasurer







#### KATHRYN ALEXANDER

Kitty, checked gingham, gay kitchens.

Home Room Officer, 1, 2; Girls' Reserve, 2; President, 3; Loudspeaker, 3; Student Council, 3, 4; Class Secretary, 1, 2, 4; Poorters Club, 4; Cheerleader, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4.

LLOYD ARMSTRONG Black Fords, zooty hats, Tyrone Power.

# MARY EVANGELINE AYDLETT

Blue skles, rippling water, gay pinafores.

Home Room Officer, 1, 3, 4;
Patriotic Club, 1, 2; Band, 2, 3, 4;
Pri-Hy-Y, 4; Boosters Club, 4;
Spotlight, 3, 4; Cheerleader, 4;
Library Assitant, 4; Quill and
Scroll, 4.

#### CARRIE LEE BARNARD

Pink rosebuds, white organdy, cameos.

Junior Red Cross, 2; Tennls Club, 3; Secretary, 3; Hobby Club, 4; Community Sing, 4; Superlative, 4.

## ANDREW F. BARNETT, JR.

Sea spray, white clouds, typewriters.

Athletic Club, 2; Monogram Club, 3, 4; Tennis Club, Vice President, 4; Loudspeaker, 4; Manager Basketball, 3.

#### CHEVALIER BELL

Sonny, Einstein Junior, perplexity. Manteo High School, 1; Central High School, 1, 2; Washington High School, 2; Marshall, 3; Beta Club, 4; Hi-Y, 4, Secretary, 4; Hobby Club, 4.

VERA ANN BIGGS

Dawn, Spanish shawls, bluebells.

Distributors Club, 4.

## VIRGINIA BRAY

Silhouettes, pine trees, cozy rooms.

Junior Red Cross, 2; Community
Sing, 4; Dancing Club, 4.

# Mildred Marie Brickhouse

Ivory temples, April breezes, weekend bags.

Junior Girls' Reserve, 2; Dancing Club, 3; Distributors Club, 4.

#### BETSY BRINSFIELD

Fairles, dewdrops, Snow White.

Anacostia High School and Capital Page High School, Washington, D. C.; Fallbrook Union High School, Fallbrook, California; Pacific Grove High School, California; Dancnig Cub, 2; Etiquette Club, 4; Vice President, 4; Boosters Club, 4.

# DAVID PRESTON BRINSFIELD Sunny California, golden saxes.

Sunny California, golden saxes, Puck.

Anacostia High School and Capital Page High School, Washington, D. C.; Fallbrook Union High School, Fallbrook, California; Pania; Dancing Club, 2; Etiquette cific Grove High School, Califor-Club, 4, President, 4; Home Room Officer, 4; Hobby Club, 4.

# Frances Le Grande Brock

Soft music, old lace, black velvet.

Home Room Officer, 1; Dramatics Club, 1; Patriotic Club, 2, 3, 4; Student Council, 2, 3; Library Assitant, 2; Beta Club, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3; Chief Marshall, 3; Spotlight, 3, 4, Editor, 4; Tri-Hy-Y, 4; Miss 1945; Quill and Scroll, 4.





## RUBY J. BROOKS

Autumn moon, crisp leaves, quiet pools.

Junior Red Cross, 2; Dancing Club, 4; Community Sing, 4; Library Assistant, 4; Distributors Club, 3.

#### Roselyn Anna Bundy

Castles, laughing brooks, fragile vases

Home Room Officer, 1; Art Club, 2: Glee Club, 3; Dancing Club, 4; Patriotic Club, 4; Class Play, 3.

# JOHN B. COPLEY

"Maude," gridirons, "Deanic." "Maude," gridirons, "Deanic."
Cathedral High School, Raleigh,
1. 2; Track, 2; Monogram Club, 1,
2, 3, 4; Football, 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain, 4; Baseball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Basebtall, 2, 3, 4; Biology Club, 1,
President, 1, Class President, 3;
Hobby Club, 4, President, 4.

#### BARBARA ANNE CRAWFORD

Choir vestments, Vogue, dark lashes.

Glee Club, 3, 4, President, 4; Patriotic Club, 4; Dancing Club, 4; Dramatics Club, 1; Girls' Reserve, 2; Loudspeaker, 4.

# NORMA RUTH CREEKMORE

Purple mountains, wrens,

glistening fountains, wrens, glistening fountains.

Girls' Reserve, 2; Beta Club, 4; Hobby Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Loudspeaker, 4.

# CAROLYN CULPEPPER

Tommy Dorsey records, scarlet, wicked eyes.

Band, 1, 2, 3, 1, Secretary, 3, Serkeant, 4; Orchestra, 1, 3; Patriotic Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Home Room Officer, 4; Beta Club, 3, 4; Marshall, 3; May Day, 3; Loudspecker, 1; Quill and Scroll, 4,

MARY LOUISE DANIELS

Silver stars, blue heavens, pink angora.

Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club, 3, 4; Home Room Officer, 4; Chief Marshall, 3; Loudspeaker, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Patriotic Club, 4; Quill and Scroll, 4.

# Ella Nora Dickerson

Red sunsets, Titania, graceful harps.

Buxton High School, 1, 2, 3, Class Secretary, 1; Literary Club, 1, Secretary, 1; Class Treasurer, 2; Class President, 3; Community Sing, 4; Boosters Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Class Play, 4.



Cherry blossoms, snowy crystal, purple sweaters.

Chocowinity High School, 1, 2; 4-H Club, 1, 2, President, 1, Council Leader, 2; Glee Club, 1, 2, President, 2, Secretary, 1; Home Ec. Club, 1, 2, President, 2; Photography Club, 2; Library Assistant, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Scribblers Club, 4; Patriotic Club, 4.

ALTON BARTLETT DOUGH

Tractors, twilight, jack o'lanterns.
Athletic Club, 2; Football, 3, 4;
Dancing Club, 3.

# GENE FAISON

Dark lipstick, sloppy Joe's, bobby sox. Granby High School, Norfolk, Virginia, 1, 2, 3; Home Room Of-ficer, 1.

# FRED A. GALTON, JR.

"Fag," Petty Girls, "Casbah."

Band, 1. 2, 3, 4, Sergeant, 4; Spotlight, 2, 3, 4; Loudspeaker, 4; Class Play, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll, 3, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Hi-Y, 4; Dra-matics, 4.









#### Doris Godfrey

Pompadours, freckles, primroses. Home Room Officer, 1; Student Council, 2; Glee Club, 2; Distrib-utors Club, 4, President, 4; Beta Club, 4; Loudspeaker, 4.

#### MARY ELIZABETH GRAY

Pattering footsteps, wood nymphs, humming birds.

Buxton High School, 1, 2, 3; Dra-matics Club, 4; Tennis Club, 4.

## DOROTHY LEE GREENE

Artist's palette, silver streams, kittens.

Ponce de Leon High School, Miami, Florida, 1; Morse Code Club, 1; Home Room Officer, 3; Victory Corps, 1; Dancing Club, 3; Travelers Club, 4.

# Anna Marie Gregory

"Dark Eyes," waving flags,
"Moe."

Goldsboro High School, 1, 2, Glee Club, 1, 2, Arts and Craft Club, 2, 3; Flag Bearer, 4; Dramatics Club, 4; Community Sing, 4.

ERVIN W. GREGORY

Love, pennants, white sweaters. Maury High School, Norfolk, Virginia, 1, 2, 3; Baseball, 1, 2, 4; Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dancing Club, 4, Vice President, 4.

Novachords, baby blue, tinkling music boxes.

Patriotic Club, 2, Secretary-Teasurer, 2; Orchestra, 3; Marshall, 3; Band, 3, 4; Beta Club, 3, 4, President, 4,

MARY FRANCES HALES Sales slips, fern, sunny smiles. Etiquette Club, 4; Hobby Club,

ELVIE EARLINE HARRIS Elfin humor, baby chicks, doll dresses. Art Club, 2; Dancing Club, 3, 4; Community Sing, 4.

## GENE R. HARRIS

Editorials, campus weekends, fraternity pins.

Band, 1, 2, 3, 4, Lleutenant, 4; Student Council, 1; Chief Marshall, 3; Beta Club, 3, 4; Loudspeaker, 3, 4, Editor, 4; Quill and Scroll, 3, 4, President, 4; Superlative, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Tennis Club, 4.

# WILLIAM FLOYD HASKETT

"Hog," basses, boogic.

Safety Patrol, 2, 3, 4; Art Club, 3; Class treasurer, 3; Baseball, 3, 4; Beta Club, 4; Band, 4, Sergeant, 4; Hi-Y, 4; Sergeant-at-Arms, 4; Spotlight Business Manager, 4; Superlative, 4.

CAROLYN RAY HAYMAN Líttle brooks, bright confettí, kerchiefs. Junior Red Cross, 2.

#### PHILLIP RAY HAYMAN

Coast Guard, travel bug, traffic. Coast Guard, travel bug, traffic.
North Quincy High School, Boston, Massachusetts, 1; Track, 1; Soccer, 1; Model Club, 1; Geography Club, 1; Safety Patrol, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer, 3; Dancing Club, 3; Athletic Club, 3; Class Treasurer, 4; Student Council, 4; Dramatics Club, 4, Vice-President, 4; Hi-Y, 4.





# ELDON BURNELL HEATH

School buses, solitude, velvet jackets. Shiloh High School, 1; Boosters Club, 4; Tennis Club, 4.

# HAROLD D. HENDERSON

Windsor ties, baseball caps, "McNush."

Monogram Club, 3, 4; Basketball, 3, 4; Manager Football Team, 3, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Travelers Club, 4; Loudspeaker, 4.

# MARY RUTH HENDERSON

Blue rain, pug, buttercups.
Girls Reserve, 2; Glee Club, 4;
Library Assistant, 4; Boosters
Club, 4; Community Sing, 4.

## BARBARA CECELIA HETTRICK

Morning glories, Spanish moss, wooly lambs.

Dramatics Club, 1; Student Council, 1; Library Assistant, 1, 2; Dancing Club, 3; Beta Club, 3, 4; Patriotic Club, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Loudspeaker, 1; Home Room Officer, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3.

# RUTH EVELYN HICKMAN

Soft grasses, baby laughter, nurses' caps.

Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Club, 2; Dancing Club, 3, 4; Monogram Club, 4.

## FAYE JEAN HODGES

Frosty woodlands, pink poppics, candelabra.

Art Club, 2; Dancing Club, 3, 4; Community Sing, 4; Home Room Officer, 4.

Best sough Hallowell

# HELEN HOLLOWELL

Fleecy snow, teddy bears, contagious laugh.

Student Council, 2; Dancing Club, 3; Scribblers Club, 3; Loudspeaker, 4; Beta Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Patriotic Club, 4; Office Assistant, 4; Quill and Scroll, 4.

#### CHARLES ROBERT HOPKINS

Loud sweaters, speed king, trumpets.

Band, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5. President, 4, Captain, 5: Baseball, 4; Hi-Y, 2, 3; Boosters Club, 5.

JACK OSWALD HORTON Jack in the box, gleaming decks, Sterflock Domes,

Patriotic Club, 2, 3; Hi-Y, 2.

# MARGARET B. JAMES

Glow of candles, faint breezes, Trixie.

Junior Red Cross, 2; Dancing Club, 3: Community Sing, 4; Eti-quette Club, 4.

# Winifred L. Jones

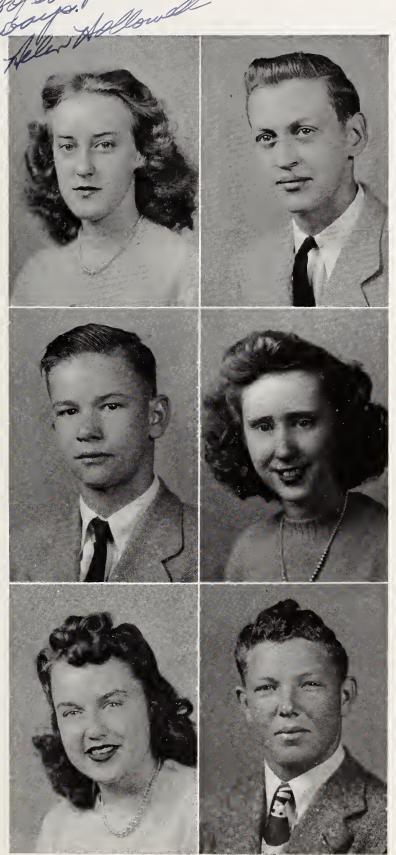
Cupid's bows, rose petals, dimples.

dimples.

Class Secretary-Trcasurer, 1;
Marshall, 3; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4,
Treasurer, 3, Student Director, 4;
Class Play, 3, 4; Beta Club, 3, 4,
Treasurer, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, President, 4; Loudspeaker, 4; Oratorical Contest, 3; Quill and Scroll, 4.

## DEWEY B. JORDON

Polished wood, "Anchors Aweigh," twinkling eves.
Dancing Club, 3; Football, 3, 4.





#### ANNA MARIE LAMB

Soft white fur, blue vlolets, prancing feet.

prancing feet.

Patriotic Club, 3, 4, Vice-President, 4; Loudspeaker, 3, 4; Home Room Officer, 2, 4; Library Assistant, 4; Class Play, 3; Superlative, 4; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4, Majorette, 2, Pony, 3, 4; May Day, 3; Quill and Scroll, 4.

#### MILFORD LAMB

Moonlight, rustling corn, hayrides. Football, 3, 4; Glec Club, 3, 4.

# WILLIAM CURTIS LAMB

Pulpits, stiff white collars, tennis rackets.

Tennis Club, 3; Patriotic Club, 3, 4; Student Council, 4; Beta Club, 4; Hi-Y, 4; Loudspeaker, 4; Class

#### STANLEY M. LEARY

Gallant knights, shining armor,

Home Room Officer, 1; Tennis Club, Secretary, 4; Hi-Y, 4; Beta Club, 4.

#### Barbara Liverman

Spring mornings, red robins, lacy snowflakes.

Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, 1; Art Club, 2; Student Council. 3; Marshall, 3; Beta Club, 3, 4, Vice-President, 4; Home Room Officer, 4; Monogram Club, 4, Vice President, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Loudspeaket, 4; Superlative, 4; Quill and Scroll, 4.

#### HELEN MAXINE LIVERMAN

Barefeet, bangs, high stepper.

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Roanoke High School, 1; New
Bern High School, 1, 2; Majorette,
2, 3, Head Majorette, 4; Home
Room Officer, 3; Class Play, 3, 4;
Glee Club, 3; Dancing Club, 4,
President, 4; Library Assistant, 3;
Superlative, 4; Etiquette Club, 4,
President, 4; Dramatics Club, 44.

CALVIN LONG
Epeeding motor boats, little rivers,
sunny skies.
Industrial Arts, 3; Book Club, 1.

GLENN R. LOONEY
Spanish songs, pirates, caballeros
Haw Creek High School, 2, 3;
Home Room Officer, 1, 2



THOMAS MANNING
Pied Pipers, frosty mornings,
linotype.
Football, 3.

ANITA BEVERLY MARKHAM Bluebirds, springtime, golden sunsets.

Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating Team, 3; Class Play, 3; May Day, 3; Beta Club, 4; Student Council, 4; Superlative, 4; Spotlight, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Debators Club, 4; Orchestra, 2, 3; Quill and Scroll, 4.



FRED P. MARKHAM, III

Maltese kittens, wit,
physics classes.

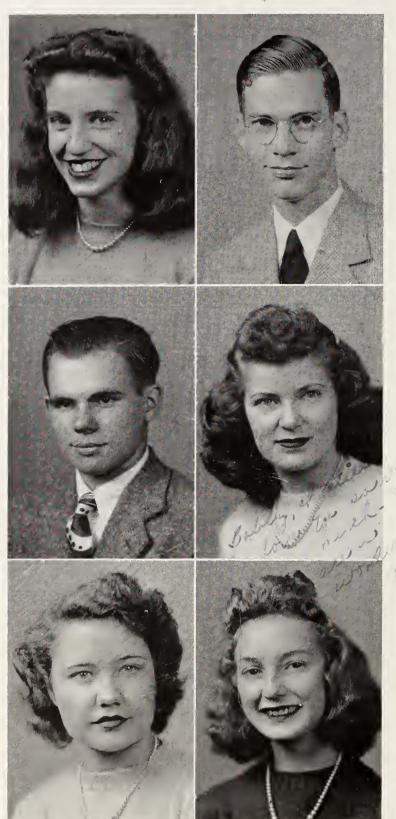
Hi-Y, 4, Treasurer, 4; Safety
Patrol, 4; Patriotic Club, 4.

HELEN MARKHAM

Hair ribbons, Irish eyes,
ivory keys.

Junior Red Cross, 2; Dancing
Club, 3; Basketball, 2, .3.





## SHIRLEY MARSH

Plaid taffeta, spun gold, yellow daisies.

Photography Club, 2; Dancing Club, 3; Beta Club, 4; Distributors Club, 4.

# WAYNE WRIGHT MASSEY, JR.

Green cars, cameras, business executives.

Dramatics Club, 2, Vice-President, 2; Basketball, 1, 3, 4; Patriotic Club, 2, 3, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Spotlight, 4; Loudspeaker, 3, 4; Hobby Club, 4.

# HUBERT McGEE, JR.

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"Fibber," brown eyes,
lazy laughter.

Beverly High School, Beverly,
Massachusetts, 2; Victory Corps, 2;
Home Room Officer, 2, 3, 4; Cross
Country Track, 2; Order of Demolay, 2; Jefferson High School, Roanoke, Virginia, 3; Hi-Y, 4; Dramatics Club, 4, President, 4; Football, 4; Loudspeaker, 4; Quill and
Scroll, 4.

# CAMILLA McPHERSON

Golden hair, frilly aprons, batons.

Band, 1; Majorette, 2, 3, Pony, 4; Vice President, 1; Glee Club, 2, 3; Dancing Club, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, 4, President, 4.

#### ERNESTINE MEADS

Gay laughter, pink cheeks, fuzzy pups.

Dancing Club, 4; Community Sing, 4.

#### BILLIE MAXINE MEGGS

Peppermint canes, big bows, china blue eyes.

Junior Red Cross, 2, Treasurer, 2, Loudspeaker, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll, 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Beta Club, 4; Dramatics Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Home Room Officer, 3; Marshall, 3.

# JENNIE LOU NEWBOLD

Nightingales, sweetpeas, lavendar.
Student Council, 1; Home Room
Officer, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club,
2, President, 2; Glee Club, 2, 3, 4,
Treasurer, 3; Band Vocalist, 2, 3,
4; Marshall, 3, Beta Club, 3, 4;
Trl-Hi-Y, 4; Spotlight, 4; Quill
and Scroll, 4.

#### EDWARD PAUL OWENS

Deep notes, slick cars, curly top. Student Council, 3, 4, Patriotic Club, 2, 3, Vice-President, 2, President, 3; Hi-Y, 4, Glee Club, 3, 4, President, 4; Safety Patrol, 2, 3, 4, Captain, 4; Superlative, 4; Class Play, 3, 4; Loudspeaker, 4, Business Manager, 4; Bell Ringer, 4; Beta Club, 4.

# OLIVE JEAN OWENS

Nosegays, "Semper Paratus," pansies.

Band, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Tennis Club, 4, President, 4; Orchestra 3.

#### CHARLES L. PALMER

"Tuttle." bright red, summer afternoons. Football, 3, 4; Home Room Officer, 2.

# M. Edna Palmer

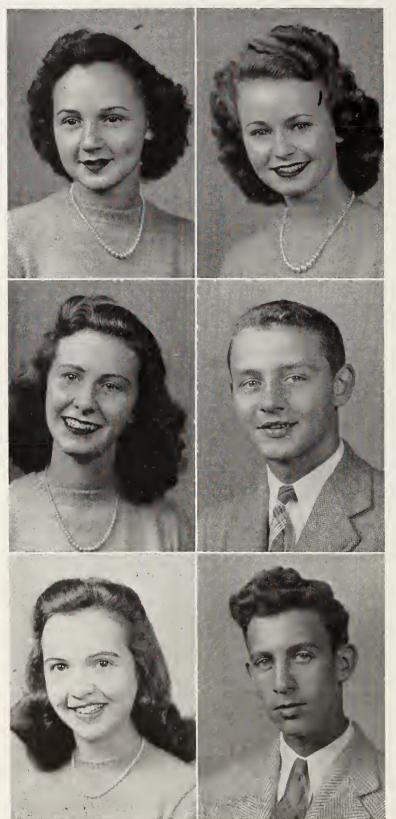
Strawberry curls, pep meetings, saddle oxfords.

Patriotic Club, 2; Glee Club, 2, 3; Girls' Reserve, 2; Cheerleader, 3; Head Cheerleader, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Library Assistant, 3; Superlative, 4; Boosters Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Vice-President, 4.

# JEAN PARKER

Blue grass, jitterbugging, elves.
Dancing Club, 3, 4; Boosters
Club, 4; Girls' Reserve, 2; Glee
Club, 2, 3.





# HELEN ATHENE PAULOS Marble statues, glossy prints, cathedrals.

Photography Club, 2; Band, 3, Dancing Club, 4; Community

#### MYRTLE ELOISE PAYNE

Shimmering moonlight, rich brocades, velvet bows. Stumpy Point High School, 1, 2, 3; Class President, 2; Class Secretary, 3; Maury High School, 2; Bowlers League, 2; Loudspeaker, 4; Dancing Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, Secretary, 4; Quill and Scroll, 4.

#### NANCY Ross Pendleton

Radiant rainbows, happy hills, woodland trails.

Home Room Officer, 1; Band, 2, 3, 4, Sergeant, 4; Orchestra, 2, 3; Marshall, 3; Beta Club, 4; Superlative, 4; Spotlight, 4; Student Council, 4; Dramatics Club, 4; Tennis Club, 4; May Day, 3, Quill and Scroll, 4; Class Play, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4;

# WILLIAM W. PINNER

Girls, football, sand dunes.

Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Cub, 3, 4; Photography Club, 3; Student Council, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager, 1, 2; Dancing Club, 3; Hi-Y, 4; Glee Club, 3, 4.

# FRANCES PORTER

Black charges, string of pearls, deep purple.

Fairmont High School, West Virginia, 1, 2, Tri-Hi-Y, 1, 2; Class Secretary, 1, 2; Lake Forest High School, Illinois, 3, Girl Club, 3, President, 3; Home Room Officer, 3, 4; Class Secretary, 3; Glee Club, 3, 4; Community Sing, 4, Vice-President, 4; Dancing Club, 4, Secretary, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4

#### JAMES LINWOOD PRICE, JR.

"Scoby," megaphones, formals.

"Scoby," megaphones, formals
Assistant Manager Football
Team, 1, 2, Manager, 4; Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball Manager, 2; Monogram Club, 3, 4, Secretary, 3, 4; Loudspeaker, 2, 3, 4; Student Council, 4, Treasurer, 4; Safety Patrol, 3, 4; Cheerleader, 4; Junior Hi-Y, 2, Treasurer, 2; Hi-Y, 4; Dancing Club, 4; Class Play, 3; May Day, 3; Superlative, 4; Quill and Scroll, 4.

#### JANE CAROLYN PRITCHARD

Fluffy curls, moonbeams,
Persian kittens.

Home Room Officer, 3; Patriotic
Club, 2, 3; Dancing Club, 3, 4.

# RUTH FAYE PROVO

Mountain lakes, tulips,

harvest moons.

Junior Red Cross, 2; Debating Club, 4, Secretary, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Dramatics Club, 4.

#### ELVIS E. PURVIS

Football, physics, blue eyes. Monogram Club, 4; Football, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club, 3, 4.

## GEORGE B. RANDOLPH, JR

GEORGE B. KANDOLPH, JR

"Doodle," judicial robes, Betsy.

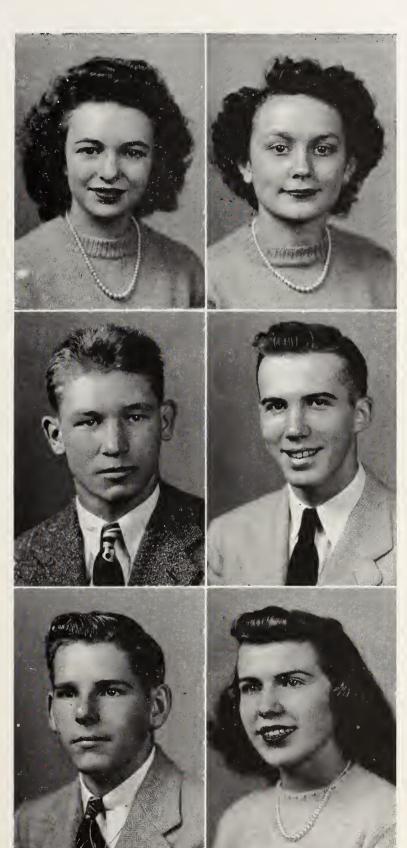
Debating Team, 1, 3; Patriotic
Club, 2, 3; Home Room Officer.
2; Class Vice-President, 1; Class
Treasurer, 2; Class Secretary, 3;
Class Play, 3, 4; Safety Patrol, 4;
Monogram Club, 4; Beta Club, 4;
Superlative, 4; Hi-Y, 4; Chairman
Finance Committee, 3; Chairman
Elections Committee, 4.

# ELMER WORTH RAPER

"Peanut," inquisitive eyes, quzzled expressions.
Football, 3, 4; Hi-Y, 3; Beta Club, 4; Class Play, 4.

# RUBY CAROLYN RAULFS

"Always," A.A.F., roses in May Dramatics Club, 1; Glee Club. 2, 3; Patriotic Club, 2, 3, 4, Secretary, 3, President. 4; Home Roor Officer, 3. 4; Spotlight, 3, 4; Manday, 3; Class Play, 3; Quill and Scroll, 4.





WILLIAM T. ROBBINS, JR.
"Shadow," pipes, fanfare.
Band, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Student Council, 1; Tennis Club, 4.

Jasmine Barbara Rohanna Chapel Hill, basketball, high heels. Dramatics Club, 1; Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Patriotic Club, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club, 3; May Day, 3.

CHARLES N. SAWYER
King Cole, pixies, fairy rings.
Junior Hi-Y, 1, 2; Shop, 2, 4;
Home Room Officer, 1; Distributors Club, 3.

EDNA MAE SAWYER

Velvet hair, blue skies,
dark stallions.

Girls' Reserves, 2, Secretary, 2;
Patriotic Club, 3, 4, President, 4;
Glee Club, 2, 3; Dramatics Club, 4.

ELIZABETH FEARING SAWYER Princes es, marigolds, white fawns. Glee Club, 2, 3, Girls' Reserve, 3; Patriotic Club, 4; Travelers Club, 4; Library Assistant, 4.

HILDA MAUDE SAWYER
Sunflowers, poplar trees,
country lanes
Girls' Reserve, 2; Dancing Club,
4; Community Sing, 4.

HORACE EDISON SAWYER Rolling countrysides, apple orchards, quiet hearths.

Hi-Y, 2; Athletic Club, 2; Tennis Club, 4; Dancing Club, 4.

CLEVIE VIRGINIA SCAFF Navy blues, raspberry lipstick, dark tresses.

Dramatics Club, 1; Home Room Officer, 1; Library Assistant, 3; Patriotic Club, 4; Dancing Club, 4.

#### Iva Faith Simons

Candy sticks, bonfires, wistaria. Girls' Reserve, 2; Dancing Club, 3, 4; Community Sing, 4.

GEORGE SPENCE, JR. Radios, blue wool, plaid ties.
Athletic Club, 2; Dancing Club,
4; Cmmunity Sing, 4; Football, 4.

#### KATE SPENCE

Green forests, bubbling springs, easels.

Woodrow Wilson High School, Portsmouth, Virginia, 1, 2; Activity Club, 1, 2; Dancing Club, 3

## Julian Robert Swain

Gremlins, sports jackets, playboy. Student Council, 1, 3; Home Room Officer, 1, 4; Photography Club, 2; Debating Team, 3, 4; Vice President Class, 4; Safety Patrol, 4; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, 4; Superlative, 4.



From one mouth to another? Best of Everything Barbara, Bobby











# DWIGHT SYLVESTER

Colts, green meadows, lazy streams. Athletic Club, 2; Monogram Club, 3, 4; Football, 3, 4.

CHARLOTTE ZOE THURECHT Lillies of the Valley, gay tweeds.
Band, 1; Treasurer Photography
Club, 4; Library Assistant, 4; Tennis Club, 3.

SELMA OUIDA TOPPING Kewpie dolls, shadowed landscapes. Hobby Club, 4; Community Sing,

#### GID H. TWIDDY

Sport coats, loud ties, horses.
Fork Union Military Academy, 2;
Band, 1, 2, 3, Lieutenant, 4; Home
Room Officer, 4; Travelers Club,
4; Tennis Club, 4.

# VELMA JOYCE TWIFORD

China dolls, picket fences, silver tinsel

silver tinsel.

Home Room Officer, 1, 2; Dramatics Club, 1, 2, Secretary, 4; May Day, 2; 4-H Club, 3; Secretary Class, 3; Secretary Literary Society, 3; Etiquette Club, 4; Manns Harbor, North Carolina, 3; Ruffner Junior High, Norfolk, Virginia, 1, 2

# BLANCHE WARREN

Blue Pontiacs, tiny hair ribbons, lullables.

President Junior Red Cross, 2; Home Room Officer, 1, Dancing Club, 3, 4; Secretary Patriotic Club, 4; Library Assistant, 4.

#### NORMA WAGNER

Candlelight, sapphires, baby faces. George Wythe High School, Hampton Virginia, 1; Girls' Athletic Club, 1, 2; Hampton High School, 2; Cheerlader, 2; Loudspeaker, 4; Beta Club, 4; Patriotic Club, 4.

#### JAMES WATSON

Southern drawl, bashfulness, mile run.

George Wythe June High School, Ilampton, Virginia, 1, 2; President Archery Club, 2; Hobby Club, 4; Dancing Club, 4.

ROBERT N. WESTON Cavaliers, guitars, sombreros Baseball, 1; Football, 3, 4

#### HILDA WHALEY

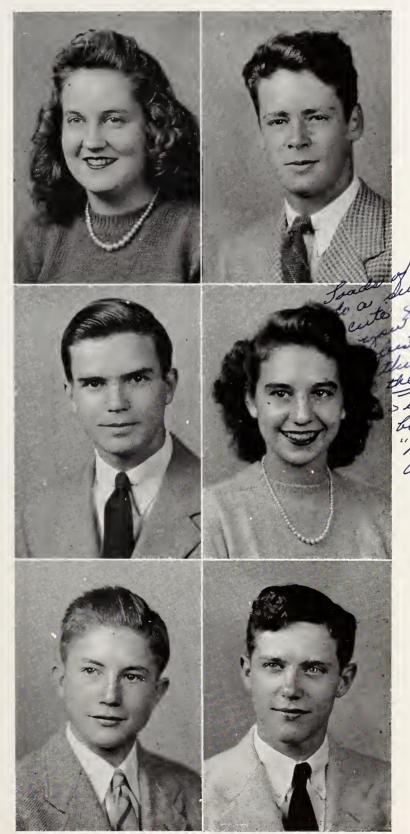
Gay colors, dancing feet, white satin.

Majorette, 2, 3, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Home Room Officer, 4; Presi-dent Hobby Club, 4; Secretary Travelers' Club, 4.

LANIER WHITE Drum beats, Whaley's, more drum beats. Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer Dancing Club, 4; Tennis Club, 4;

LUTHER A. WHITE, JR. Girls, girls, and more girls.

Athletic Club, 2; Home Room Officer, 1; Dancing Club, 3, 4; Vice-President Class, 3; Chief Marshall, 3; Community Sing, 3; Hi-Y, 4; Beta Club, 4; Class President, 4; Safety Patrol, 3, 4; Superlative, 4.





MARY RUTH WHITE

Golden chimes, rippling streams, Wedgewood.

Patriotic Club, 2, 4; Band, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 2, 3; Loudspeaker, 4; Spotlight, 4; Dancing Club, 4.

ABNER WILLIAMS

High cut trousers, football, proxy. Football, 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain, 4; Baseball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club, 1, 2, 3, Vice-President, 4; Superlative, 4.

M. GERALDINE WINSLOW Baby snooks, shimmering pools.

Junior Red Cross, 2; Travelers'
Club, 4; Dancing Club, 4.

MATTIE G. WINSLOW Cherubs, lilacs, Indian summer. Glee Club, 3; Dancing Club, 4; Community Sing, 4.

PHYLLIS WISE

Dancing eyes, fluttering leaves, Gypsies.

Stumpy Point High School, 1, 2; Secretary Class, 2; 4-H Club, 1, 2; Debating Team, 2; Marshall, 3; Beta Club, 3, 4; Dancing Club, 3; Glee Club, 4; Boosters Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4.

VIRGINIA TOXEY WOOD

Easter bunnies, twinkling fingers, gophers.

Band, 2, 3, 4, Orchestra, 3, Beta Club, 4; Superlative, 4; Student Council, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Secretary Patriotic Club, 4; Office Assistant, 4; May Day, 3.

#### WILLIAM THOMAS WOODLEY

Loud socks, red jackets, council pins.

President Class, 1, 2; Home Room Oficer, 1; Secretary Student Council, 2, Vice-President, 3; President, 4; Safety Patrol, 2, 3, 4; Bell boy, 3; Monogram Club, 3, 4; Football, 3; Baseball, 1, 3, 4; Baskeball, 3, 4; Baskeball, 3, 4; Baskeball, 3; Glee Club, 4; Marshall 3; Hi-Y., 4; Mr. 1945.

FLEETWOOD G. WRIGHT, JR.

Pointing setters, hunting togs,
moth boats.

Band, 1; Hi-Y, 1.





No, it may not be the band but it was the band then,

# Toy Town Band

FIRST ROW: Virginia Wood, Julian Perry, Barbara Hettrick, Evangeline Aydlett, Willard Shepherd, Lonnie Hodges, Tommy Manning, Carolyn Culpepper, Billie Meiggs. SECOND ROW: Barbara Liverman, Helen Hollowell, Carolyn Pritchard, Anna Lamb, Nancy Fendleton, Olive Jean Owens, C. D. Hodges, Luther White, Margaret James. THIRD ROW: Bill Pinner, Marion Brickhouse, Bill Woodley, Doris Griffin, Frances Brock, Winifred Jones, Bill Haskett, Frances Brice, Elizabeth Sawyer, Kathryn Alexander, George Spence. FOURTH ROW: Eddie Owens, Carolyn Raulfs, Gene Harris, Jean Parker, G. B. Randolph, Maxine Liverman, Geraldine Winslow, Mary Lousie Daniels, Norma Hooper.

# **CLASS HISTORY**

By JENNIE LOU NEWBOLD

Whew!! We're through! Eleven years of hard work and loads of fun, eleven years of growth and development in the ways of the world have gone by, never to be re-lived.

It was back in September, 1934, that a group of scared, bewildered little boys and girls trudged to the old primary school on Dyer street. It wasn't long before we became adjusted to the new life. In the first grade we presented the operetta 'The Queen Bee.'

Then came the glorious day when we entered the old S. L. Sheep School and the fourth grade. Now we were eligible to help with publishing the S. L. Sheep News and participate in the annual Dixie Land Minstrel. The next year, however, the old Sheep building was condemned, and we were transferred to the high school. Time seemed to glide by swiftly, and we were in the seventh grade. That year we had entire charge of the S. L. Sheep News and had the leading roles in the Dixie Land Minstrel. After Christmas of that year we moved into the new S. L. Sheep School and were very proud to be the first class to graduate from its beautiful halls.

Soon the day we had both dreaded and eagerly anticipated came, and we entered high school. The first two days, after being ruined by the sophomores, we really looked like little Indians. It was not long, however, before we got adjusted to the change and entered into the school activities. There seemed so much more to do this year than in the preceding years.

While we were freshmen, our school system adopted twelve grades and nine months; therefore the next year there were eighth graders and no freshmen. Freshmen or no, we got our share of painting the little creatures.

During our junior year we really had more hard work and more delightful times than in any other year before. There was the Junior Carnival, which was one of the most successful ever held; then we sold magazine subscriptions to get more funds for the annual Junior-Senior Dance. We gave the seniors a splendid dance with refreshments in the Virginia Dare Hotel Ballroom.

Now, at last, we have reached the pinnacle of high school life with senior privileges and respect of all under-classmen. We have edited our two publications, *The Spotlight* and *The Loudspeaker*, very successfully. Our caps and gowns will soon be here, and it won't be long before we leave our happy high school life. As we walk through these dear old halls, we look about us with a feeling of pride and achievement. We have done our very best, and we take with us many happy memories,

Underclassmen To those we leave behind we say, "'Ave atque vale!'"
We hope your school life will be gay And your future jolly.

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# Underclassmen

To those we leave behind we say,
" 'Ave atque vale!' ''
We hope your school life will be gay



Hi Barbi, I gusts you remember
me but I do you and I think
you are a swell gal as sell as
hite looking. Best of Luck Howard Roughton Ar

# CLASS OF 1946

Ed Bowden, Howard Roughton, Howard Berry, Eva Catherine Parker, Janice Beckwith, Marilyn Austin, Fannie Gray

Officially members of no class in Elizabeth City High, we in-betweeners are chiefly transfers from other schools with too few credits to be truly seniors but with too many to be dubbed sophs. Although life here was new and strange at first the students welcomed us with a warmth of spirit that made us feel immediately at home and a part of the many activities in school.

Janice from California, Eva from Pennsylvania, Marilyn and Fannie from Maryland, and Howard Berry from Central, have with scores of other transfers from all over the U. S. A., brought new ideas and talent to E. C. H. S. and have received much in return.

Howard Roughton, who missed a year because of illness, and Ed Bowden, who aspires to finish a year early, also part of the class of '46.

We are looking forward to June a year hence when we, truly a unique class in size at least, will step forth to take our places among the great body of Elizabeth City High School alumni.

Best of luck to you.



# OFFICERS OF CLASS OF '47

Presid	lent	ED	BOWDEN
Vice	President	Barbara	Pearson
Secret	ary	Lescelle	s Davis
Treasu	urer	Eleanor	LaNier

We, the class of 1947, came over from the S. L. Sheep School three years ago into a shower of perfume and lipstick which initiated us into E. C. H. S. At first we felt very much out of place and had a hard time abiding by the rules but we soon caught on. As we got into the swing of it, we were made to feel more at home by the older group. Since we were the younger group, we didn't take an active part in the school's various activities. But this past year we have really enjoyed high school as we worked hard raising money for the Sophomore-Schior in their honor. We did this by giving a sophomore play and several other things. We feel that we are very fortunate because our class is the first class to go the full twelve years in good old E. C. H. S.



FIRST ROW: Roy Morse, Nellie Maude Sanderlin, Janice Palmer, Carolyn Phillips, Genevieve Piand, Elda Richmond, Jo Anne Pinner, Barbara Pearson, Marie Ripple. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Flood, Vann. Morgan, Edward Manning, Herbert McCoy, Ed Bowden, Julian Ross. THIRD ROW: Jimmy Preston, Tonimy Ryan, Edward Sample, Kathleen Riddick, Doris Jean Russell, Jean Rhodes, Faye Liverman, Robert Midgette. FOURTH ROW: Eugene Overton, Eugene Price, Charles Pritchard, Billy Overman, William Peabody, Bobby Paulos, Bill Mann, George Owens. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Romona Jennette, Talmadge Lewis, Joyce Meekins, Beulah Parker, Virginia Parker, Bruce Reynolds, Royal Texas Squires.



FIRST ROW: Benlah Ammeen, Valerie Byrd, Edith Cartwright, Ruth Steelman, Iris Ann Bunch, Frances Beane, Virginia Leigh Brickhouse, Clarence Castellow, SECOND ROW: Audrey Bright, Virginia Frickhouse, Inez Askew, Albe Rives Bell, Joyce Balley, Barbara Connally, Rose Marie Askew, Norman Armstrong THIRD Row: Jimmy Beck, Betty Lou Bell, Frances Chesson, Anne Bennett, Mary Ellen Blades, Howard Eerry FOURTH ROW: Samuel Brown, Jr., Wilton Bray, Elmer Bundy, June Burgess, Glenn Leigh Cox, Hilda Austin, Francis Chappell, ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Barbara Chandler, Iva Deen Armstrong, Elbert Armstrong, Aldean Quidley,



FIRST ROW: Marjorie Whaley, Bill Winslow, Louise Stanley, Hollie Webster, Florence Small, Howard Ward. SECOND ROW: Mr. Little, Jane Swindell, Emily White, Billy Thompson, Doris Thompson, Doris Jean Tillett, Ruth Tuttle. THIRD ROW: Margaret Stallings, Annette Ward, Virginia Sears, Carol Thurecht, Marian Stallings, Margaret Williams, Doris Twiford FOURTH ROW: Arthur Stevenson, Bill Skinner, Milton Sawyer, Bill Weatherly, Charles White, Walter Williams. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Billy Forbes, Norman Forbes, Ruth Steelman, Marion Swindell, Venie Mae Tillett, Mary Twiddy, Louise White, Eugene Williams.



FIRST ROW: Kendrick Harris, Claude Ferrell, Nellie Forbes, Eleanor Lanier, Estelle Jones, Marie Jones, Helen Jones, Eleanor Hettrick SECOND ROW: Vernon Gregson, Lescelles Davis, Betty Foreman, Virginia Layden, Allen Hooper, Mildred Cuthrell THIRD ROW: Marvin Gilden, Suzanne Griffin, Lewis Hooper, Miss Price, Rachel Dunbar, Loma Hassell, Vivien Jackson, Norma Hooper, Nida Hyatt. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Jimmie Lee Crowe, Earl Davenport, Ray Dixon, Anne Geralds, Fannie Gray, C. T. Hall, Lindbergh Holmes, Manil Johnston.



## OFFICERS OF CLASS OF '48

President	Jack	LEROY
Vice PresidentSARA	PAGE J	ACKSON
Secretary JA	NE : SH	ERLOCK
TreasurerI	Buxton	SMALL

We, the freshman class, are proud to be true members of E. C. H. S. at last. Coming up the hard way through the eighth grade has made us more conscious of our responsibilities and opportunities.

True we had to use our well-earned privilege of initiating the present eighth graders by reverting to the tactics of wild Indians and changing perfectly good "pale-faces" to warpainted savages. But now that that is out of our systems, we have gotten down to the business of growing up and proving our worth.

Each activity in school finds our class well represented. Every war-time call finds us ready and eager to do our part.

Indeed, before our years in this school are over, we hope to leave records and examples well worth being followed by those who come after us.



FIRST ROW: Sara Page Jackson, Erma Lanier, Bill Dudley, Jack LeRoy. SECOND ROW: Dan Harris, Barbara Gregory, Marial Gibbs, Elsie Mae Kight, Frances Hill, Henry Gegan. THIRD ROW: Hodges Gallop, Marie Jones, Dorothy Jackson, Audrey Jennings, Elene Gwinn, Louise Hales. FOURTH ROW: Sel Mann, Lonnie Ray Jennings, Ernest Mann, Bobby Mann, Kenneth Dickerson, J. B. Harrell, Joseph Hales, Percy Jenninings, John Ferebee, Lister Markham, Jane Fearing. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Ernest Dough, Hodges Gallop, Aubrey Heath, Russell Hickman, Floyd Johnson.

FIRST ROW: Alyda Davis, Bernice Brooks, Nancy Cropsy, Elizabeth Bray, Peggy Bonner, Jane Aydlett. SECOND ROW: Horace Ames, Miss José Harding, Mary Christopher, Rita Alexander, Lillian Ceoper, Mary Charles Blades, THIRD ROW: Wilhis Bray, Christine Cuthrell, Shirley Castellov, Maxme Coffield, Jean Davenport, Mildred Caddy, Audrey Bagley-FOURTH ROW: Thomas Cook, Carlton Alberts n, Carl Anderson, Henry Basnight Leon Bray, Robert Beckwith, FIFTH ROW: George Bell, John Eurgess, C. J. Cuthrell, Edward Copley, ABSENT FROM PICTITRE: Lena Berry, George Bright.





FIRST ROW: Rodney Trueblood, Olive Ruth Sedgewick, Louise Whaley, Buck Small, Mac White, Ruby Sawyer, Thelma T.dd, Jeweldean Sherlock SECOND ROW: Milton Twiford, Joe Smith, Jem Sherleck, C. R. Spuull, Billic Smith, Margaret Jean Wright, Daphne Williams, THU'D ROW: Mrs John Turner, Norman Shannonhouse, Jimmy Sylvester, Edsel Whaley, Ray Ward, James Wilcox, Alma Williams, ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Leston Trueblood, John Waters, Emma Turner, Penelope Whedbee.

FIRST ROW: Juanita Sawyer, Fillie Rogers, Mildred Pears'n, Carolyn Necce, B bby Ripple, Marvin Perry, Harvey Porter, SECOND ROW: Jame Sawyer, Jewel D. McPherson, Margaret Russell, Lahoma Po'ndexter Doris Pappendick, Jean Sawyer, B'and Mcreer, Edmond Miller, Billy McCain, J. seph Sawyer, Jack Sawyer, Edward McGee, Nelson Overman, THIRD ROW: Elbert Onley, Miss Webb, Mclvin Owens, Moose Patten, Lloyd Sawyer, Wesly Provo, Dawson Reynolds, Bobby Phelps, Littleton Pipkin, ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Gordon Pinkham, Ruth Pipkin.





# OFFICERS OF CLASS OF '49

President	JACK MORGAN
	Roger Beli
Secretary	DOROTHY BRADSHAW
Treasurer	Virginia F. Hali

This class is the stepping stone between grammar school and high school. Although the members of this class are not officially members of E. C. H. S., they are represented in the Student Council and are allowed to take part in all activities in school such as assembly, voting, sports, and various other school functions.



FIRST ROW: Charles Hardison, Ida Kay Jordan, Virginia Lee Hall, Virginia Flora Hall, Jo Harward, Merritt Hooper, Madison Meekins, David Griffin. SECOND ROW: Betty Munden, Earbara Jones, Phyllis Haskett, Rose Joyner, Retta Hooper, Jack Overman, Billy Hawes, Jimmy Henderson. THIRD ROW: Oneita Hastings, Iva Mae Keaton, Wilda Harris, Pauline Hastings, Joanne Harwood, James Grey. FOURTH ROW: Billy Harris, Murline Lamb, Barbara Lamb, Tennie Hubbard, Barbara King, Rudy Meekins, Ellen Mae Owens, Gloria Ives, James Insley. FIFTH ROW: Bobby McCullen, Ernest Morgan, Jack Morgan, Charles Hodges, Leo Lamb, George Koch, ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Shirley Jordan, Philip Johnson, Charles Haskett, Jack Hawes.



FIRST ROW: Ola Mae Dickenson, Betty Lou Selig, Dorothy Bradshaw, Mary Blades Love, Bonita Austin, Patricia Aydlett. SECOND ROW: Anna Mae Byrum, Mary Sue Bagley, Molli Ann Cuthrell, Barbara Dyhrberg, Jean Galton, Alma Jean Brothers, Joyce Brown, Alice Bartlett, Joyce Beane. THIRD ROW: Miss Elizabeth Nash, Grover Cartwright, Virginia Garrett, Helen Cohoon, Stella Beals, Margaret Brickhouse, Anne Chory, Raymond Davis FOURTH ROW: Faye Brinson, June Burge-s. Dorothy Basnight, Sigma Barnett, Roger Bell, Dempsey Burgess, Lucian Gregory, William Bowen, BACK ROW: Charlie Ferrell, Andrew Chamber, Joe Butler, James Brooks, Garland Anderson.



FIRST ROW: Billy Ross, Henrietta Pritchard, Doris Perry, Eunice Mae Vereen, Carolyn White, Carole Shean, Janice Williams, Dorothy Swindell, Warna Sawyer, SECOND ROW: Sterling Smith, James Raby, Janice Raby, Mattie Hope Wallace, Ann Whaley Sawyer, Naomi Perry, Alice Reid, Virginia Voliva, Mary Ruth Williams, THIRD ROW: Bill Sharber, Aline Phelps, Jean Shannonhouse, Joann McClelland, Barbara Smith, Frank Dryden, FOURTH ROW: Billy Summer, James Parker, Fred Rivenbooks, Jestine Simmons, Jean Williams, Jean Ryan, FIFTH ROW: Margaret Pipkin, Mildred Pierce, Frank Wood, Millard Tarkington, Marvin Gray, Vance Miller, Eugene Williams, Walter Sawyer.

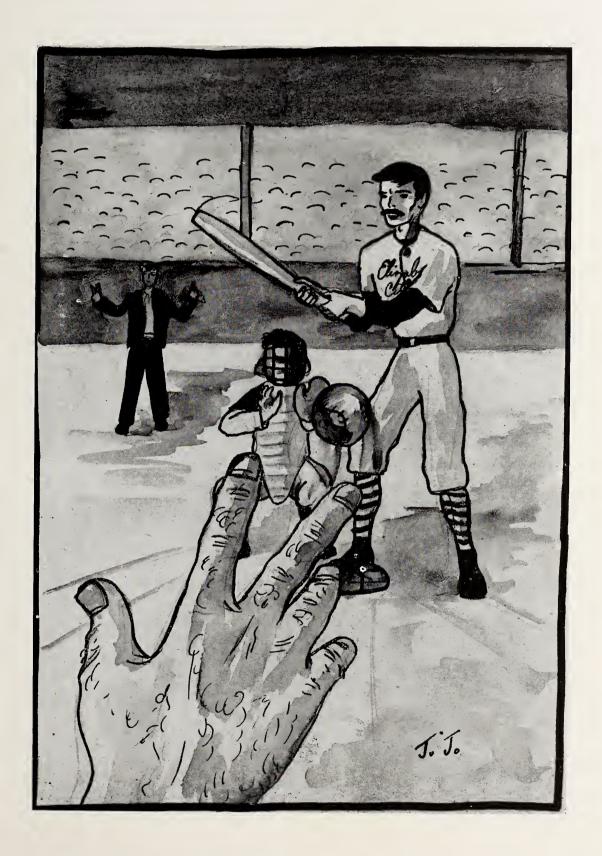


1. Hertford Blues; 2. The Ed; 3. Sittin' Pretty; 4. 645-J; 5. Beach Combers; 6. Eenie, Meenie, Minie, Mo, and Eddie; 7. Duffie's Tavern; 8. Uncle Miles; 9. Last Roundup; 10. Gruesome Twosome; 11. Something's Lacking; 12. Co-caps.

# Activities

Our high school clubs, once very few, Have now increased in number. There's very little they don't do—They even teach the rhumba.







WILLIAM THOMAS WOODLEY
President Student Council

# Council of Student Cooperative Government

A Student Council was first organized in the Elizabeth City High School in 1923. It was in 1941 that the present constitution was adopted by the student body to guide the Council. The purpose of the Student Council is to promote the general welfare of the school, establish a closer union, and to create a greater responsibility among the students. Many projects have been sponsored by this organization. Some of them constitute a patrol on the halls. Scrap drives, organization of an activity period for every student, promotion of a Teen-Tavern (The Teen-Age Club), redecoration and furnishing of their own room, responsibility of the scheduling of assembly programs, and the sale of tickets for the athletic program occupy the rest.

#### Student Council Officers

Linwood Price, treasurer; Bill Skinner, vice-president; Bill Woodley, president; Miss Bertha Cooper, adviser; Bill Haskett, sergeant-at-arms; Joyce Rae Meekins, secretary.

#### Committee Chairmen

FIRST ROW: Nancy Pendleton, calendar; Lescelles Davis, citizenship; Annette Ward, standards; G. B. Randolph, elections; Jo Ann Pinner, social; Eddie Paul Owens, traffic. BACK ROW: Bill Pinner, house and grounds; Barbara Chandler, publicity; William Lamb, finance.

### Home Room Representatives

FIRST ROW: Kathryn Alexander, Ray Hayman, Lister Markham, Sterling Smith, Virginia Hall, Rose Marie Askew, Betty Lou Selig. SECOND ROW: Ruby Sawyer, Genevieve Piland, Jane Swindell, Beverly Markham, Virginia Wood, Betty Foreman, Stella Miller, Mary Christopher.

#### Safety Patrol

FRONT ROW: Fred Markham, Eddie Paul Owens (head), Bill Pinner, Ray Hayman, G. B. Randolph, Linwood Price, Bill Woodley. BACK ROW: Bobby Swain, Bill Haskett, Luther White.





Thursday Patriotic Club

FIRST ROW: Marjorie Whaley, Rodney Trueblood, Blanche Warren, Carolyn Culpepper, Edna Mae Sawyer, Billy Overman, Virginia Wood, Dan Harris, Jimmy Sylvester. SECOND ROW: Miss Mary Owens, Frances Beane, Ruth Tuttle, Betty Foreman, Frances Brock, Helen Hollowell, Barbara Hettrick, Eleanor Hettrick. THIRD ROW: Virginia Sears, Myra Dixon, Charlotte Thurcht, Mary L. Daniels, Norma Faye Hooper, Elizabeth Bray, Emily White, Lescelles Davis, Mary E. Blades, Florence Small FOURTH ROW: Jennie Lou Newbold, Fred Markham, Leston Trueblood, Robert Beckwith, William Lamb. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Maxine Coffield, Virginia F. Hall, James Henderson, Bill Mann, Robert Paulos, Jasmine Rohanna, Elizabeth Sawyer, Walter Sawyer, Clevie Scaff, Norman Shannonhouse.

The Patriotic Club was started in January, 1942, under the sponsorship of Miss Mary Owens. It functioned under the supervision of the members of her second year Latin class, who applied to the Student Council of Elizabeth City High School for a charter. The purpose of this club is to foster patriotism among the students and make them realize that to keep the heritage handed down by our forefathers, we must fight. The greatest weapon of the enemy is propaganda, and through this club we hope to teach each student to distinguish between false propaganda and the truth.



# Friday Patriotic Club

FIRST ROW: Miss Mary Owens, adviser; Carolyn Rouifs, president; Anna Lamb, vice-president; Genevieve Piland, secretary: Julian Ross, treasurer SECOND ROW: Peggy Bomer, Louise Whaley, Elda Richmond, Olive Ruth Sedgewick, THIRD ROW: Wayne Massey, June Burgess, Marian Cooper, Fay Brinson, Jean Parker, Nellie Maude Sanderlin, FOURTH ROW: Marvin Perry, Oneita Hastings, Helen Cohoon, Margaret Brickhouse, Virginia Garrett, Mary Christopher, FIFTH ROW: Bobby Mann, Frances Chappell, Marian Swindell, Edward Manning, Grover Cartwright, ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Howard Berry, Roselyn Bundy, J. D. Cooper, Barbara Crawford, Aubrey Heath, Floyd Johnson, Janice Palmer, Virginia Parker, Gordon Pinkham, Carolyn Pritchard, Doris Jean Russell, Evelyn Russell, Ambrose Sawyer, Millard Tarkington, Ruth White.



### Beta Club

FIRST ROW: Virginia Wood, Beverly Markham, Winifred Jones, treasurer; Mary Louise Daniels, secretary; Doris Griffin, president; Barbara Liverman, vice-president; Luther White, Elmer Raper, Carolyn Culpepper SECOND ROW: Gene Harris, Olive Jean Owens, Emily White, Genevieve Piland, Phyllis Wise, Doris Godfrey, Annette Ward, Billie Meiggs, Barbara Hettrick. THIRD ROW: Mrs. Wilma Flood, Frances Brock, Nellie Forbes, Jennie Lou Newbold, Elvis Purvis, Betty Foreman, G. B. Randolph, Barbara Connally, Eleanor LaNier, Shirley Marsh, Sonny Bell, Stanley Leary, William Lamb, Nancy Pendleton, ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Eddie Owens, Rose Marie Askew, Joyce Meekins, Norma Creekmore, Judy Jones, Norma Wagner, Bill Woodley, Bill Haskett, Helen Hollowell.

New members to the Elizabeth City High School chapter of the Beta Club are chosen each year from among the members of the two upper classes who demonstrate leadership, excellence of character, and a scholastic average above 94. The National Beta Club is a non-secret organization for students of senior high schools the country over, dedicated to service in school and community.



# Quill and Scroll

FIRST ROW: Nancy Pendleton, Winifred Jones, Gene Harris, president, Fred Galton, vice-president, Billie Meggs, secretary-treasurer, Mary Louise Daniels, Beverly Markham, Jennie Lou Newbold SECOND ROW: Frances Brock, Helen Hollowell, Barbara Pearson, Bill Skinner, Evangeline Aydlett, Anna Lamb, Annette Ward. THIRD ROW: Linwood Price, Carolyn Raulfs, Myrtle Payne, Miss Bertha Cooper and Mrs. P. H. Highfill, Jr., advisers. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Barbara Chandler, Jo Ann Pinner.

A chapter of Quill and Scroll, International Honorary Society for High School Journalists, was established in Elizabeth City High School in the spring of 1944. There were thirteen charter members and two advisers. The members chose a name—The Herbert Peele Chapter, in honor of the editor of The Daily Advance—began writing a constitution, wrote a daily bulletin, sponsored a poetry contest, and encouraged other literary projects. The three members, who were left this year, inducted seventeen members in January and several more later. The increase in membership was a definite indication of the advancement made in journalistic endeavor by ambitious students.









# THE LOUDSPEAKER

Galton J. Jones

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The Loudspeaker, the official news organ of Elizabeth City High School, has known a harassed and turbulent life. Begun in the year 1923 under the sponsorship of Dr. Earl A. Hartsell, now of the University of North Carolina English Department, The Loudspeaker's name was later changed to The Spotlight. During the depression years it failed to exist at all.

Started anew in 1934, from which the present volume dates, The Loudspeaker has continued to appear, to improve, and gradually to increase in size. Today it's a fivecolumn tabloid-size paper of six pages, enhanced by pictures, cartoons and interesting make-up. Its purpose is to record school happenings and to reflect student opinion. It maintains a liberal editorial policy.

Now a member of both C. S. P. A. and Quill and Scroll The Louds peaker has benefitted greatly by the criticism and advice offered by those two organizations.

Copies of this year's Loudspeaker were to be found in all parts of the world where they were sent to give former graduates in service a little "touch of home."

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Pendleton, Galton, Markham Upper Right: Brock, Higbfill, Newbold

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The Spotlight, which first looked out upon the world in June, 1921, this year celebrates her twenty-fifth birthday. Looking back on the people she has known—in in-

fancy, youth, and now maturity—and on the classes she has so happily served, *The Spotlight* is proud of her record and of the fact that steadily through the years she has grown in grace and beauty, in wisdom and in stature.

During the years 1932 and 1933, because of circumstances beyond her control—namely, the depression, she was forced to live a secluded life, for through lack of funds she had not the courage to make a public appearance. Since then she has faithfully appeared each spring to the delight of every graduating class.

As a fitting birthday present, *The Spotlight* this year received the advice of publication experts in C. S. P. A., critics whose counsel she has attempted to heed in order to make her twenty-fifth appearance a credit to herself, her many guardians, and her school.

Pinner Ward Raulfs



### Girls Glee Club

FIRST ROW: Inez Askew, librarian; Estelle Jones, treasurer; Phyllis Wise, reporter. SECOND ROW: Margaret Williams, librarian; Martha Byrd, Irma Lanier, Ruby Sawyer. THIRD ROW: Frances Hales, Valeria Byrd, Sarah Page Jackson, Ella Nora Dickerson. FOURTH ROW: Hilda Austin, Evelyn Russell, Allie Rives Bell, Ruth Henderson. FIFTH ROW: Miss Jeanne Armstrong, director; Vivian Jackson, Norma Faye Hooper, Janice Palmer, Juanita Sawyer.

The Glee Clubs of Elizabeth City High School have enlarged during the past three years. In their first year the Glee Club consisted of a mixed Boys and Girls Glee Club. Last year a division of Senior and Junior Clubs was formed. This year it has been divided into three clubs, Junior Glee Club, Boys Glee Club and Girls Senior Club. Outstanding concerts and highlights from the various programs have been "Stormy Weather," which was presented by the band and glee clubs the first year, the second year of the glee club in which we presented "Ballad for Americans," which is usually given only by college students and Rex Gloriae which was a special triumph and which will long be remembered in the history of the Glee Club. This year the Christmas concert was presented and was a great success. We are always thrilled and willing to give programs outside of school and have performed in almost every organization and church in Elizabeth City.



Boys Glee Club

FIRST ROW: Bill Pinner, reporter; Eddie Owens, president; William Lamb, secretary; Rodney Trueblood, vice-president, pianist. SECOND ROW: Frances Porter, librarian; Jennie Lou Newbold, librarian; THIRD ROW: Bland Mercer, treasurer; Ray Hayman, Lonnie Ray Jennings, Bobby Ripple. FOV: TIL ROW: Bill Woodley, Edward Manning, Loma Hassell, Robert Midgett. FIFTH ROW: Miss Jeanne Armstrong, director, Milford Lamb, Sterling Smith, Carl Anderson.



## Junior Glee Club

FIRST ROW: Mary Blades Love, Lahoma Poindexter, reporter; Gloria Ives, Rita Alexander, treasurer; Christine Cuthrell, Daphne Williams SECOND ROW: Miss Jeanne Armstrong, director; Oneta Hastings, Virginia Lee Hall, Barbara Lamb, Billie Rogers, secretary. THIRD ROW: Audrey Bagley, Anne Geralds, Jean Davenport, Shirley Castellow, Bernice Brooks, librarian; Doris Twiford. FOURTH ROW: Olive Jean Owens, vice-president and planist.



# Debators Club

FIRST ROW: Glenn Cox, Sam Brown, vice-president, Bobby Swain, president, Ruth Provo, secretary. SECOND ROW: Peggy Bonner, Sara Page Jackson, treasurer, Barbara Connally, Marilyn Austin, Warna Sawyer. THIRD ROW: Beverly Mark-ham, Winifred Jones, Bill Skinner, G. B. Randolph, Miss Estelle McClees, adviser, Louis Hooper. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Barbara Chandler, C. J. Cuthrell, Margaret Pipkin.

The Debating Club was organized for the purpose of providing practical experience in debating to interested students of E. C. H. S. The forensic training obtained by students participating in this new activity, begun for the first time this year, will give broad foundation to any speaking endeavor of later life.



#### Tri-Hi-Y

FIRST ROW: Olive J. Owens, sergeant-at-arms: Myrtle Payne, secretary and reporter; Winifred Jones, president; Edna Palmer, vice-president; Mary Louise Daniels, chaplain; Rose Marie Askew, treasurer. SECOND ROW: Gene Harris, Jane Swindell, Frances Brock, Phyllis Wise, Billie Meggs, Barbara Liverman, Carolyn Culpepper, Virginia Wood, Doris Griffin THIRD ROW: Jennie Lou Newbold, Miss Nancy Hinson, adviser; Beverly Markham, Annette Ward, Barbara Pearson, Jo Ann Pinner, Kathryn Alexander, Ruth Tuttle, Betty Foreman, Joyce Meekins, Evangeline Aydlett, Helen Hollowell. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Barbara Hettrick, Norma Creekmore.

The Tri-Hi-Y is a religious but non-denominational organization for high school girls under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. This club, newly organized here this year, is one of the student activities. Its membership of twenty-eight is made up of girls from the senior class and a few from the junior. The program for the year has included outside speakers representing professions of interest to girls, magazine drives for children in hospitals, Red Cross work, and numerous civic participations.



#### Hi-Y

FIRST ROW: Shelten Alexander, vice president; Sam Brown, president; Luther White, chaplain; Ray Hayman, G. B. Randolph, Sonny Bell, secretary; Fred Markham, treasurer; Jimmie McGee, SECOND ROW: William Lamb, Billy Haskett, Eddie Paul Owens, Linwood Price, Elliott Ward, Bill Pinner, Stanley Leary, THIRD ROW: Milford Lamb, Mr. Jack B. McDuffie, adviser; Bill Skinner, Herbert McCoy, Billy Overman, FOURTH ROW: Bill Woodley, Fred Galton, ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Arthur Stevenson.

The Senior Hi-Y is a service organization affiliated with the Young Men's Christian Association and has as its purpose "to create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character."



Library Staff

FIRST ROW: Anna Lamb. SECOND ROW: Eva Parker, THIRD ROW: Charlotte Thurecht, Ruby Brooks FOURTH ROW: Blanche Warren, Iva Dean Armstrong FIFTH ROW: Miss Nancy Hinson, librarian, Ruth Henderson, Elizabeth Sawyer, Evangeline Aydlett, Ernestine Meads ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Carrie Lee Barnard, Olive Jean Owens, Norma Creekmore.

The thirteen students who serve as library assistants are those who volunteered to give their services during the one vacant period each had during the school day. At the beginning of the school year these assistants received specialized training which made their weekly assignments easy to perform. It would be impossible for the library to function without the help of these valuable assistants.



Distributors Club

Doris Godfrey, president; Mildred Brickhouse, vice-president; Vera Biggs, secretary; Verie Mae Tillett, Shirley Marsh, Ruth Copeland, Marie Ripple, Mrs. Wilma Flood, adviser.

The Distributors Club is a state organization which has been created for vocational students enrolled in cooperative part-time distributive education classes. Its purpose is to develop aggressive, fair, and competent experiences in retailing.



# **Dramatics** Clubs

FIRST ROW: Edward McGee, Jimmie McGee, president; Ray Hayman, vice-president; Velma Twiford, secretary-treasurer; Dorothy Bradshaw, president; Betty Lou Selig, Mary Blades Love, Mrs. Wilma Flood, adviser. SECOND ROW: Daphne Williams, Christine Cuthrell, Bernice Brooks, Margaret Stallings, Marian Stallings, Ama Jean Brothers. THIRD ROW: Jane Ayldett, Jane Swindell, Doris Twiford, Billie Meggs, Carol Thurecht, Barbara Dyhrberg, Suzanne Griffin, Erma Lanier, Ray Pendleton, Bland Mercer, Judy Jones, Charles Palmer, Edna Mae Sawyer. FOURTH ROW: Audrey Bagley, Barbara Chandler. Barbara Pearson, Maxine Liverman, Mary Ellen Blades, Louise Stanley, Abb Williams. FIFTFH ROW: George Owens, Hollie Webster, Florence Small, Bobby Swain, Carolyn Phillips, Carlton Albertson.

Membership in the Dramatics Clubs is open to any student who likes to act, direct, produce or assist in any other way in putting a play on the boards. Though the prime purpose of the club is to provide an understanding of methods and practices in putting them into effect.



Officers of Dancing Clubs

FIRST ROW: Nancy Cropsy, secretary; Carolyn Phillips, vice-president; Ervin Gregory, president; Robert Midgette, sergeantat-arms; Frances Porter, secretary; Edith Cartwright, treasurer; Miss Josie Harding, adviser; Lanier White, treasurer; Mrs.
Margaret Iloutz, adviser; Aubrey Heath, vice-president. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: David Brinsfield, president.

The Dancing Club is another club that was organized in E. C. H. S. this year. Because of the lack of adequate music facilities and the presence of such a large number of students it has not been able to function as well as was anticipated. However it has helped to stimulate the attendance at the school dances.



### Scribblers Club

FIRST ROW: Lahoma Poindexter, president; Jack Leroy, Mary Charles Blades, secretary-treasurer, Barbara A. Smith. SEC. OND ROW: Miss Elizabeth Nash, adviser; Nancy Cropsy. THIRD ROW: Edward McGee, Bobby Phelps, Judy Jones, Charles Pritchard, Edward Copley, Myra Dixon. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Jimmie Beck, Mary Crawford.

The Scribblers Club came into being late in the spring of 1943 at the request of some of the underclassmen who aspire to be worthy one day of belonging to "Quill and Scroll" and of helping to edit the school paper and annual. During the year each member is responsible for a program dealing with that which is of special interest to that member. Then come informal discussions and criticisms of original writings, which have been worked on between meetings.



**Etiquette Clubs** 

FIRST ROW: Nellie Forbes, president; Maxine Liverman, president; Sara Page Jackson, secretary-treasurer; Loma Hassell, secretary-treasurer; Claude Ferrell, vice-president SECOND ROW: Carolyn Neece, Elizabeth Bray, Mildred Pearson, Ruby Sawyer, Fannie Gray, THIRD ROW: Norman Armstrong, Ellen Mae Owens, Anne Chory, Shirley Evans, C. R. Spruill, Estelle Jones FOURTH ROW: Miriam Cooper, Christine Cuthrell, Margaret James, Buxton Small, FIFTH ROW: Mildred Cuthrell, Lescelles Davis, Faye Brinson, Hodges Gallop, John Ferebee. SIXTH ROW: Daphne Williams, Ann Geralds, Frances Hales, Miss Elizabeth Chappell, adviser. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Horace Ames, Raymond Copley, Madison Meekins, Billy Ross, Louise White, Velma Twiford, Robert Beckwith, Grover Cartwright, Marie Ripple, Bill Sharber, Joseph Hales, Charles Haskett, Charles Hodges, Merritt Hooper, Billie Smith.

The Etiquette Clubs were organized in September as part of the activity program. The purpose of the clubs is to help improve the manners and ideals in the social behavior of the students. During the year there were several major projects for the improvement of the school and also for personal development. These were conducted through programs each week.



### Travelers Clubs

FIRST ROW: Billy Sumner, Jeweldean Sherlock, Louise Stanley, Gid Twiddy, Miss Catherine Price, adviser, Janice Baby, Virginia Lee Hall, Lonnie Ray Jennings, Philip Johnson. SECOND ROW: Jean Sherlock, George Koch, Jimmy Henderson, Alice Reid, Henrietta Pritchard, Anna Mae Byrum, Virginia Flora Hall, Doris Perry, Billie Marie Rogers. THIRD ROW: Billy Bailey, Arthur Stevenson, Lucian Gregory, Charles Haskett, Bobby McCullen, Bruce Reynolds, Jean Ryan, Helen Jones, Elsie Marie Tuttle, Jestine Simmons, Kathleen Riddick, Betty Ratchford, Elizabeth Sawyer, Rita Alexander, Margaret Russell, Stella Miller. FOURTH ROW: Charles Pritchard, Marian Swindell, Ernest Morgan, Eugene Williams, James Parker, Fred Rivanbark, Marvin Gray, Russell Hickman.

Travelers everywhere are bound together by a community of interests in places, in people, and in the art of getting from here to there. Elizabeth City High School wanderers, both actual and aspirant, have formed themselves into an organization which is both social and educational. Traveling, presenting the almost insurmountable difficulties which it does in these times, the members console themselves with the experiences of travel-book authors, their own experiences, and with maps and movies.



Officers of Hobby Clubs

SEATED: Hilda Whaley, president; John Copley, president, Gene Falson, vice-president. FIRST ROW: Milford Lamb, president; Mrs. Lua Blakeley, adviser; Tex Squires, Edward Sample, vice-president; Margaret Williams, secretary; Van Morgan, treasurer; Iris Ann Bunch, Elvis Purvis, Nida Hyatt, Wesley Provo, Clarence Castellow, Francis Chappell. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Elliott Ward, Thomas Ryan.

The Hobby Club is an outgrowth of an attempt by the student association to make the activity period worthwhile. Quite a number of students have displayed their individual collections of coins, pennants, and stamps. As a group project for this year, the club made a miniature zoo of soap carvings.



1. Poodle in the puddle; 2. Ye olde hangout; 3. Camera shy? 4. Dear John; 5. In the circle; 6. "Molly"; 7. "Crackie"; 8. Demure; 9. Senator's Club; 10. Studious (?); 11. In the bushes 12. Missing link; 13. Just posing.

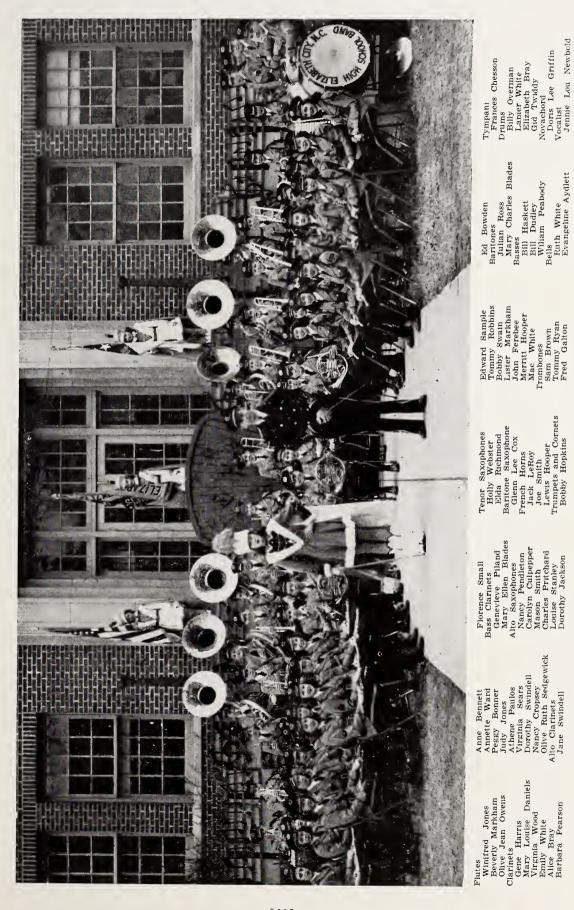


ROBERT M. SIMMONS Director

# Elizabeth City High School Band

Elizabeth City High School is proud of its band. Its pride is justified for the band is truly one of the state's finest and is nationally known and praised. The band was begun in 1931 and has progressed rapidly since. It has won many coveted honors and has been praised by some of the nation's highest ranking officials.

This year the band received two national citations for having played upon 224 occasions in connection with the war efforts. An organization such as this is truly one to be proud of.



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# Band Majorettes

Maxine Liverman, head Drum major; Jennie Lou Newbold, vocalist; Anna Lamb, Camilla McPherson, ponies; Edith Cartwright, Doris Pappendick, Louise Whaley, Sara Page Jackson, Jo Ann Pinner, Hilda Whaley, twirlers; Anna Marie Gregory, Jane Aydlett, Barbara Chandler, flag bearers.



BAND OFFICERS: Bobby Hopkins, captain; Gene Harris, Gid Twiddy, first lieutenants; Fred Galton, Elizabeth Bray, Nancy Pendleton, Carolyn Culpepper, Winifred Jones, sergeants; Olive Jean Owens, Ruth White, Doris Griffin, Athene Paulos, Mary Louise Daniels, Beverly Markham, Tommy Robbins, corporals.



1. Sunning; 2. "Pinky;" 3. U name it; 4. Riding high; 5. The dreamer; 6. Burial of the beer barrel; 7. Slink by the drink; 8. Settin' Bull; 9. The morning after; 10. Beauty on the beach; 11. Hi-yo Silver; 12. Pin-up; 13. On the ball,



#### Football Team

FIRST ROW. John Copley, Abner Williams, co-captains. SECOND ROW: Jimmy Watson, Elliott Ward, Lindbergh Holmes, Jimmy Preston, Bill Pinner, Tex Squires, James Butler, Shelton Alexander, Bill Winslow, Elvis Purvis THIRD ROW: Aubrey Heath. Dwight Sylvester, Bunch McPherson, Joe Butler, Talmadge Lewis, Raymond Copley, Elmer Raper, Linwood Price, Van Morgan, Roy Turner, Harold Henderson. FOURTH ROW: Jimmie McGee, Bobby Hopkins, Herbert McCoy.

E. C. H. S. has one of the state's best football teams. There has been a football team ever since there has been an E. C. H. S. The team has played several state championship games and several of its members have been chosen for the all-state team and one of its members was given the honor of playing on the all-Southern team. The score for the 1944 team:

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Holy Trinity 6	E.C.H.S.	13	Greenville 6	E.C.H.S.	 7
Roanoke Rapids 0	E.C.H.S.	33	Hampton40	E.C.H.S.	 6
Washington 0			Greenville13		
Maury37					
Edenton 0	E.C.H.S.	33	Roanoke Rapids 0	E.C.H.S.	 0

The Greenville game was the only conference game our team lost this year.



#### 1944 Baseball Team

FIRST ROW: Raymond Fearing, John Copley, Charles White, Ray Hayman, Dennis Basnight, James Butler. SECOND ROW: Charles Wellons, Ab Williams, DeLon Davenport, Floyd Steele, Bill Woodley, Ray Dixon, Milford Lamb, Linwood Price. THIRD ROW: Coach Harvey Johnson, Tommy Barnes, Lindbergh Holmes, Shelton Alexander, Douglas Holmes, Bill Haskett, Marvin Prosser, Elliott Ward, Wesley Provo, Hilbert Harris.

In the spring of the year it is a familiar sight to see the boys walking over to the baseball diamond with bats, balls, and gloves in hand. Like football, baseball is an annual part of our school activities.



Girls Varsity Basketball Team

FIRST ROW: Velma Twiford, Barbara Liverman, Evelyn Hickman, Doris Jean Russell, Valeria Byrd SECOND ROW: Virginia Brickhouse, Betty Lou Bell, Jasmine Rohanna, Louise Hales, Frances Hales, THIRD ROW: Carol Thurecht, Edith Cartwright, Beulah Parker, Joyce Bailey, Joann McClelland FOURTH ROW: Marian Stallings, Nellie M. Sanderlin, Anne Bennett, June Burgess, Barbara Connally, FIFTH ROW: Ruby Brooks, Martha Byrd, Beulah Ammen, Audrey Jennings. Faye Liverman, Margaret Stallings SIXTH ROW: Joyce Rae Meekins, manager; Miss Rebecca Webb, coach.

The scores for the 1944-45 girls' team:					
College Girls21			Central24	E.C.H.S.	13
Central Independents22			Windsor 4	E.C.H.S.	43
Manteo13			Hertford19	E.C.H.S.	25
Spars12				E.C.H.S.	38
Alexander Park11			Central20	ECHS	31
Spars 8			77 10 1		
Columbia16	E.C.H.S.	22	Hertford20	E.C.H.S.	27
Windsor12	E.C.H.S.	36	Weeksville 9	E.C.H.S.	26



Boys Basketball Team

FIRST ROW: Andrew Barnett, Lindbergh Holmes, Harold Henderson, Linwood Price, Bill Woodley, Ervin Gregory. SECOND ROW: Roy Turner, Jimmy Crowe, Elliott Ward, Arthur Stevenson, Talmadge Lewis.

Basketball is one of the chief sports and one of the best supported sports in E. C. H. S. This year the

gym was crowded with enthusiastic spectators for every game. The class basketball teams help to prepare the students for their later participation on the school team. The scores for the 1944-45 boys team:

	E.C.H.S.	18	Central18	E.C.H.S.	25
Manteo 9	E.C.H.S.	31	Windsor20	E.C.H.S.	25
C.G.R.B22	E.C.H.S.	44	Hertford36	E.C.H.S.	45
Alexander Park21	E.C.H.S.	18	Columbia27	E.C.H.S.	39
Coast Guard38	E.C.H.S.	18	Central14	E.C.H.S.	37
Columbia33	E.C.H.S.	25	Hertford27	E.C.H.S.	24
Windsor15	E.C.H.S.	42	Weeksville16	E.C.H.S.	40



Monogram Club

FIRST ROW: Virginia Brickhouse, Beulah Parker, Barbara Liverman, Evelyn Hickman. SECOND ROW: John Copley, James Butler, president, Abner Williams, vice-president, Lindbergh Holmes. THIRD ROW: Joe Butler, Tex Squires, Bill Pinner, Elvis Purvis, Bill Winslow, Van Morgan, Jimmy Preston. FOURTH ROW: Bill Woodley, Dwight Sylvester, Jimmy Watson, Andrew Barnett, G. B. Randolph, Harold Henderson, treasurer, Bunch McPherson. ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Linwood Price, secretary, Doug Holmes, Shelton Alexander, George Brinson, Roy Turner.

The Monogram Club has played an important part in the life of the school since its beginning in 1934.

Qualifications for election to the Monogram Club include the winning of one or more letters for participation in the major team-sports sponsored by the school. Membership in the club is a goal of every athlete.

#### Class Basketball

SENIOR: Jasmine Rohanna, Faye Hodges, Carolyn Pritchard, Ruby Brooks, Barbara Liverman, Evelyn Hickman, Velma Twiford, Frances Hales. SOPHOMORE: Faye Liverman, Valeria Byrd, Carol Thurecht, Betty Lou Bell, Nellie Maude Sanderlin, Beulah Ammen, Edith Cartwright, Margaret Stallings. BACK ROW: Marian Stallings, Beulah Parker, Anne Bennett, Barhara Connally, Joyce Bailey. FRESHMAN: Jane Aydiett, Bernice Brooks, Louise Whaley, Jean Sawyer, Juanita Sawyer, Ruby Sawyer. BACK ROW: Martha J. Byrd, Carolyn Neece, Bertha Mac Tadlock, Louise Hales, Alyda Davis, Audrey Jennings. EIGHTH GRADE: Bonita Austin, Warna Sawyer, Joan McClelland, Joyce Brown, Carolyn White. BACK ROW: Janice Williams, Carol Sheen, Jestine Simons, Margaret Pipkin, Dorothy Bradshaw. Bradshaw.





Tennis Club

Claude Ferrell, secretary-treasurer, Tommy Robbins, vice-president, Olive Jean Owens, president, Stanley Leary, secretary-treasurer, Lanier White, reporter, Andrew Barnett, vice-president, Miss Rebecca Webb, adviser ABSENT FROM PICTURE: Charles White, president, Wesley Provo, reporter.



#### Cheerleaders

Beulah Parker, Linwood Price, Edna Palmer, head, Ervin Gregory, Kathryn Alexander.

#### Boosters Club

FIRST ROW: Betty Jean Munden, Ervin Gregory, Bobby Hopkins, vice-president, Kathryn Alexander, president, Lahoma Poindexter, treasurer, Iris Ann Bunch. SECOND ROW: J. B. Harrell, Edward Manning, Edna Palmer, Jean Parker, Evangeline Aydlett, Mr. J. B. McDuffie, adviser. THIRD ROW: Barbara Jones, Ray Dixon. FOURTH ROW: Ruth Henderson, Inez Askew, Barbara Dynrburg, Robert Midgette, Barbara King, Burnell Heath, Walter Williams, Ella Nora Dickerson, Gloria Ives, Bill Guard, Madison Meekins, John Ferebee, William Hawes, Jimmie Crowe, Charles Hardison. ABŞENT FROM PICTURE: Nancy Cropsy, Dorothy Greene, Judy Jones, Phyllis Wise, Joyce Rae Meekins,



1. "Chunky"; 2. Pile up; 3. "Prexy"; 4. Aw shucks; 5. Coach; 6. Before the game; 7. Reachin' high; 8. "Rabbit"; 9. Big nine; 10. Sweet William.

## Personalities

Here's what happens at parties and things, At wienie-roasts and pep-night sings. At a football dance or a birthday ball The fun's enjoyed by one and all.





#### THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Class of 1945, of the Elizabeth City High School, being of relatively sound mind and memory and of the keenest foresight, seeing as we do that we are about to be ejected from these walls which have sheltered us so long and so carefully, do hereby make the following disposition of our various properties and benefits:

#### ARTICLE I

To all students left behind:

- a. The privilege of having the auditorium repaired and re-decorated.
- b. The wonderful privilege of going to school an extra year.

#### ARTICLE II

To the incoming junior class:

- a. We leave the privilege of being the superior (?) class for two years.
- b. We bequeath our honored seats in assembly with the full measure attached of the agony of keeping awake, of remaining quiet, and of futilely attempting to appear intelligent.

#### ARTICLE III

We bequeath our personal properties as follows:

- a. To Judy Jones, "Fag" leaves an Esquire to replace the horses.
- b. All of Wayne's used flash bulbs and the memories that go with them are left to Talmadge Lewis.
- c. Jennie Lou Newbold leaves her ability to hit high "C" to Faye Hooper.
- d. To Jean Galton goes Gene Harris' slink.
- e. "Pinkey" Pendleton leaves her "dickies" to be worn with Carolyn Phillips' V-neck sweaters.
- f. John Copley leaves his lexiphonic ability to Samuel Brown, Jr.
- g. Chevalier Bell's intellectual appearance goes to "Tex" Squires.
- h. Bill Woodley's leadership goes to Bill Skinner.
- i. To Bill Overman goes Bobby Swain's meek disposition.
- j. Frances Brock leaves her poise and dignity to "Bobby" Chandler.

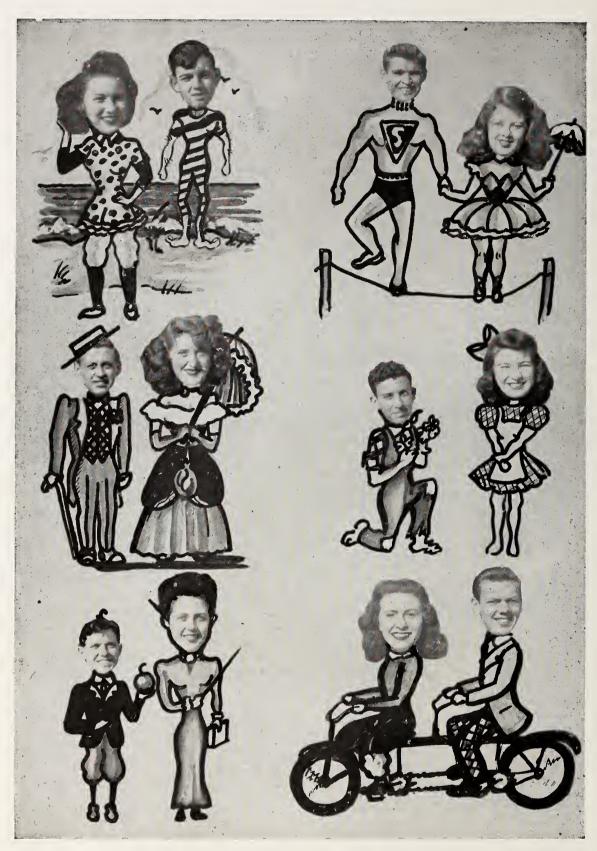
Let no man violate the above document to which on this thirteenth day of November, 1944, we do hereby set our sign and seal.

Witnesses:
Nancy Pendleton
Jennie Lou Newbold

Testators:
Frances Brock
Fred Galton



Frances Brock Bill Woodley
Mr. and Miss 1945



SUPERLATIVES, (left to right): Best-looking, Carrie Lee Barnard, Eddie Paul Owens; Most athletic, Abner Williams, Barbara Liverman; Best-dressed, Bobby Hopkins, Edna Palmer; Most popular, Linwood Price, Maxine Liverman; Most brilliant, Luther White, Gene Harris; Most likely to succeed, Nancy Pendleton, Bobby Swain.



SUPERLATIVES, (left to right): Best personality, Elvis Purvis, Kathryn Alexander; Most original, Bill Haskett, Beverly Markham; Most dependable, G. B. Randolph, Mary Louise Daniels; Cutest, Anna Lamb, Jim Watson; Most studious, Winifred Jones, William Lamb; Most talented, Fred Galton, Virginia Wood.



1. Christmas dance; 2. Smile awhile; 3. Cuddle up; 4. Hi-Hatters; 5. At the bar; 6. Shoo, shoo baby; 7. Hands and bottles; 8. Tap happy; 9. Best face forward; 10. Cute twosome; 11. Just practicing (?); 12. Bicycle built for two (?); 13. Man-hunt; 14. "Bar" by the tulips.

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